

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Currently amended) A module for containing electrical components comprising

a first member which forms a first side wall of the module said first member having a base with a top surface and a bottom surface and a first side edge and a second side edge, said first side wall of the module also having a front edge and rear edge extending outwardly from said side edges generally in a perpendicular relationship to said base and generally in a parallel relationship with each other, said front edge and said rear edge forming a top and a bottom member respectively of said module ~~first side wall member further comprising top member extending upwardly from said first side edge and bottom member extending upwardly from said second side edge~~, the top member having a top surface and a bottom surface as well as a first side edge and a second side edge, said first side edge being adjacent to said first side edge of the base, said bottom member having a top surface as well as a first side edge and a second side edge, said first side edge of said bottom member being adjacent to said second side edge of the base; said top member having a first flange extending outwardly from said top surface of the top member and adjacent to a second side edge of said top member and generally in a perpendicular relationship to said top member and generally in a parallel relationship to said base, said bottom member having a second flange extending outwardly from a bottom surface of the bottom member and adjacent to a second side edge of said bottom member and generally in a perpendicular relationship to said bottom member and

generally in a parallel relationship to said base; said top member having a third flange extending outwardly from said top surface of the top member and adjacent to a third side edge of said top member and generally in a perpendicular relationship to said top member, said first flange and said base, said bottom member having a fourth flange extending outwardly from said bottom surface of the bottom member and adjacent to a third side edge of said bottom member and generally in a perpendicular relationship to said bottom member, said second flange and said base; wherein said first and second flanges provide a means of attachment to a surface such that said base is generally parallel to said surface and wherein said third and fourth flanges provide a second means of attachment on a surface wherein said base is generally perpendicular to said surface;

a front plate, said front plate having a front surface and a rear surface as well as first and a second side edges; said front plate being removably connected to the first member; and

a rear plate, said rear plate having a front surface and a rear surface as well as first and second side edges, said rear plate being removably connected to the first member; and

a second member which forms a second side wall of said module, said second side member having top and bottom edges as well as front and rear edges, said second side member being removably connected to said top and bottom members of said first member.

2-7 (Cancelled).

8. (Currently amended) The module according to claim 7 1 wherein said flanges are provided with one or more orifices for fastening the flanges to a wall or other surface.

9. (Cancelled).

10. (Currently amended) The module according to claim 9 1 wherein said ~~first~~ front plate has a first flange ~~extends~~ extending from one side edge of said front plate.

11 (Currently amended) The module according to claim 10 wherein said ~~second~~ front plate has a second flange ~~extends~~ extending from the other side edge of said front plate.

12. (Currently amended) The module according to claim 11 wherein said first and second ~~front plate~~ flanges are generally parallel to each other and generally perpendicular the rear surface of the front plate.

13. (Currently amended). The module according to claim 12 wherein the front plate is provided with one ore more cut out portions to provide access to ~~the~~ a component contained within the module.

14. (Currently amended). The module according to claim 13 wherein the first member is connected to a flange in the front plate by a suitable fastening means that extends through the first member ~~11~~ and the flange of the front plate.

15. (Original) The module according to claim 13 wherein a pair of flanges extend frontwardly from the rear surface of the rear plate.

16-29. (Cancelled).

30. (New) The module according to claim 1 wherein said rear plate has a first flange extending from one side edge of said rear plate.

31 (New) The module according to claim 30 wherein said rear plate has a second flange extending from the other side edge of said rear plate.

32. (New) The module according to claim 31 wherein said first and second flanges are generally parallel to each other and generally perpendicular the rear surface of the rear plate.

33. (New). The module according to claim 32 wherein the rear plate is provided with one ore more cut out portions to provide access to a component contained within the module.

34. (New). The module according to claim 33 wherein the first member is connected to a flange in the rear plate by a suitable fastening means that extends through the first member and the flange of the rear plate.